

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows.

1. (Currently Amended) A graphical user interface for use in association with a network browser, comprising:

a network browser window associated with a network browser for displaying Internet content associated with uniform resource locators (URLs) during network browsing;

a plurality of identifiers adjacent to the window in which the content is displayed;

wherein a user is allowed to pre-select one of the identifiers;

wherein, after the pre-selection, selected content associated with at least one of the URLs displayed during use of the network browser is correlated with the pre-selected identifier and stored;

wherein the user is allowed to manually enter the pre-selected identifier.

2. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 1, wherein the identifiers are capable of being selected for identifying further information associated therewith.

3. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 1, wherein the URLs are displayed by browsing.

4. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 1, and further comprising allowing the user to subsequently access the content utilizing the identifier.

5. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 1, wherein the content is correlated upon selection of the content.

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6. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 5, wherein the content is automatically correlated upon selection of the content.
7. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 1, wherein the identifiers have associated displayed buckets.
8. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 7, wherein the identifiers identify the buckets.
9. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 8, wherein the identifiers include intellectual property identifiers.
10. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 1, wherein the content includes an entire web page.
11. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 1, wherein the content includes documentation in a portable document format.
12. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 1, wherein the date is stored with the content.
13. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 12, wherein the date includes a date at which time the content was discovered.
14. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 1, wherein the URL is stored with the content.
15. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 7, wherein the buckets are accessed via menus.
16. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 15, wherein the buckets are accessed via sub-menus.

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17. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 15, wherein the buckets are selected by being clicked.

18. (Original) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 1, wherein any content selected during use of the network browser results in automatic correlation with the pre-selected identifier.

19. (Original) An archival process that incorporates the features of claim 1.

20. (Currently Amended) A computer program product embodied on a computer readable medium for displaying a network browser graphical user interface for storing content in association with a network browser, comprising:

computer code for working in conjunction with a network browser window associated with a network browser for displaying Internet content associated with uniform resource locators (URLs) during network browsing; and

computer code for displaying a plurality of identifiers in a window separate from the window in which the content is displayed;

wherein a user is allowed to pre-select one of the identifiers;

wherein, after the pre-selection, selected content associated with at least one of the URLs displayed during use of the network browser is correlated with the pre-selected identifier and stored;

wherein the identifiers are capable of being manually entered by the user;

wherein any content selected during use of the network browser results in automatic correlation of the content with the manually entered, pre-selected identifier.

21. (Currently Amended) A computer program product embodied on a computer readable medium for displaying a network browser graphical user interface, comprising:

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computer code for working in conjunction with a network browser window associated with a network browser for displaying Internet content associated with uniform resource locators (URLs) during network browsing; and

computer code for displaying a plurality of identifiers in a portion of the network browser graphical user interface adjacent to the side of the window in which the content is displayed;

wherein a user is allowed to pre-select at least one of the identifiers in the portion of the network browser graphical user interface to the side of the window in which the Internet content associated with the URLs is displayed, in association with the network browser;

wherein, after the pre-selection, selected content associated with at least one of the URLs displayed during use of the network browser is correlated with the pre-selected identifier and stored;

wherein the pre-selected identifier is capable of being manually modified by the user utilizing a user-selectable object adapted for modifying.

22. (Currently Amended) A system, comprising:

means for working in conjunction with a network browser window associated with a network browser for displaying Internet content associated with uniform resource locators (URLs) during network browsing; and

means for displaying a plurality of identifiers adjacent to the window in which the content is displayed;

wherein a user is allowed to pre-select at least one of the identifiers;

wherein, after the pre-selection, selected content associated with at least one of the URLs displayed during use of the network browser is correlated with the pre-selected identifier and stored;

wherein any content selected during use of the network browser results in automatic correlation of the content with the pre-selected identifier;

wherein the pre-selected identifier is capable of being manually entered by the user.

23. (Currently Amended) A system, comprising:

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a computer;
a network browser installed on the computer;
computer code for working in conjunction with a network browser window associated with the network browser for displaying Internet content associated with uniform resource locators (URLs) during network browsing; and
computer code for displaying a plurality of identifiers adjacent to the window in which the content is displayed;
wherein a user is allowed to pre-select at least one of the identifiers;
wherein, after the pre-selection, selected content associated with at least one of the URLs displayed during use of the network browser is correlated with the pre-selected identifier and stored;
wherein any content selected during use of the network browser results in automatic correlation of the content with the pre-selected identifier;
wherein the pre-selected identifier is capable of being manually entered by the user manually adding to the plurality of identifiers utilizing an icon adapted for adding to the plurality of identifiers.

24. (Currently Amended) A computer program product for displaying a network browser graphical user interface for archiving content in association with a network browser, comprising:

computer code for working in conjunction with a network browser window associated with a network browser for displaying content associated with uniform resource locators (URLs) during network browsing; and
computer code for displaying a plurality of buckets adjacent to and separate from the window in which the content is displayed;
wherein a user is allowed to pre-select an identifier associated with one of a plurality of buckets;
wherein, after the pre-selection and upon selection, selected content associated with multiple URL's displayed during use of the network browser is correlated with the pre-selected identifier for being stored in user computer memory;

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wherein the user is allowed to subsequently access the content utilizing the identifier;

wherein a date is stored with the content, ~~the date including a date at which time the content was discovered;~~

~~wherein the multiple URLs are stored with the content;~~

wherein any content selected during use of the network browser results in automatic correlation with the pre-selected identifier;

wherein the identifiers are capable of being manually added by the user.

25. (New) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 1, wherein the content involves competing activity.

26. (New) A graphical user interface as recited in claim 9, wherein a search is capable of being performed in association with at least one of a plurality of patents using at least one synonym, by:

identifying at least one claim associated with one of the patents,

extracting a plurality of terms from the claim,

identifying at least one synonym associated with at least one of the terms, and

conducting a search utilizing the terms and the at least one synonym.

27. (New) The graphical user interface of claim 26, wherein the terms of the claim are retrieved from a database.

28. (New) The graphical user interface of claim 26, wherein the terms of the claim are automatically retrieved from a database.

29. (New) The graphical user interface of claim 26, wherein noun terms of the claim are identified.

30. (New) The graphical user interface of claim 26, wherein verb terms of the claim are identified.
31. (New) The graphical user interface of claim 26, wherein Boolean searching is incorporated with the searching based on the terms of the claim of the patent and the at least synonym.
32. (New) The graphical user interface of claim 26, wherein AND operators are incorporated with the terms of the claim of the patent and the at least synonym.
33. (New) The graphical user interface of claim 26, wherein a plurality of the synonyms are identified based on the terms of the claim of the patent, utilizing a synonym database.
34. (New) The graphical user interface of claim 33, wherein the synonyms are incorporated with the terms of the claim of the patent to increase the breadth of the search.
35. (New) The graphical user interface of claim 34, wherein the synonyms are incorporated with the terms of the claim of the patent utilizing an OR operator.
36. (New) The graphical user interface of claim 26, wherein the word "claim" is removed from the terms of the claim of the patent.
37. (New) The graphical user interface of claim 26, wherein the search is conducted manually upon receiving a user request.
38. (New) The graphical user interface of claim 26, wherein the search is conducted automatically at predetermined intervals.

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39. (New) The graphical user interface of claim 26, wherein the terms are modified based on results of the search.

40. (New) The graphical user interface of claim 39, wherein the terms are modified based on results of the search and user input.

41. (New) The graphical user interface of claim 39, wherein the terms are modified based on results of the search automatically.